

## ABC POSITION DESCRIPTION

<b>Division:</b> <i><b>Digital Networks</b></i>	<b>Position Title:</b> <i><b>Senior Developer(APIs and Backend Services)</b></i>
<b>Department:</b> <b>Digital Architecture and Development</b>	<b>Classification:</b> <b>Technologist, Band 7/8</b>
<b>Location:</b> <b>Ultimo</b>	<b>Position No:</b>
<b>Reporting to:</b> <b>Manager, APIs and Backend Services</b>	<b>Approval:</b>

**Purpose:**

The position is for an experienced senior developer to lead the development, maintenance and support of new and existing digital products.

**Key Accountabilities:**

- Provide superior technical development skills within ABC Digital Network's Technology team, to lead the development of APIs & services in an efficient manner across web based platforms.
- Contribute to the analysis, design and development of complex, re-usable components and functionality for a broad range of uses across various ABC digital properties.
- Take accountability for technical documentation, ensuring that all development work undertaken is properly documented and maintainable.
- Deliver high quality product development within agreed time and budget constraints.
- Maintain a high level of awareness of best practice in the industry for server side development – particularly in areas such as performance, security, SEO and accessibility. Communicate this to other development team members, helping to ensure best practices are used throughout development teams.
- Improve the quality of output by contributing to the development of best practices and development standards.
- Advocate and apply ABC values and all relevant ABC policies and procedures including Equity & Diversity and OH&S.

**Key Capabilities/Qualifications/Experience:**

- Superior development skills, with demonstrated experience developing complex, secure and high-performance software for a range of platforms and devices at scale. Knowledge of publishing, media delivery and content workflows desired.
- Strong, demonstrated knowledge and experience in assessing, selecting and using modern frameworks and build tools, implementing automated/unit testing, and version control branching, merging and versioning strategies.
- Qualifications in a computing related field or significant industry experience in web development is essential.

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- Experience with PHP is essential and knowledge of at least one other server-side language (e.g. Java, Python, Go, Node) is preferred.
- Demonstrated excellent verbal and written communication skills with a strong ability to foster an open and creative approach to development that shares ideas, skills and knowledge both within and across teams.
- Excellent skills in planning and prioritising projects and tasks; delivering with a high attention to detail while working under pressure to tight deadlines.
- Understanding and commitment to the ABC's aims, objectives and workplace values, together with relevant policies and guidelines including Editorial Policies, Equity and Diversity and OH&S.